



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK

In re Application of: BRYAN :
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Application No.: 10/776,428 : Art Group Unit: 3725
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Filed: February 11, 2004 : Examiner: N/A

For: MULTIPLE BLADDER INTERNAL TUBE EXPANSION AND METHOD

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Please consider the following Preliminary Amendment for the above-referenced Application.

A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Preliminary Amendment is being filed contemporaneously with the filing of a Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application.

The **Amendments to the Specification** section begins on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

The **Amendments to the Claims** section begins on page 5 of this Preliminary Amendment and any amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of the claims included therein.

The **Amendments to the Drawings** section begins on page 6 of this Preliminary Amendment and any amendments to the drawings include an attached replacement sheet.

The **Remarks/Arguments** section begins on page 7 of this Preliminary Amendment.